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#### REQUEST FOR MAINTENANCE OF APPEAL

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### Sir:

Responsive to the Supplemental Examiner's Answer mailed July 24, 2006, including new grounds of rejection, Applicants elect to maintain the pending Appeal, and are filing a Supplemental Reply Brief, simultaneously herewith.

If an extension of time for this paper is required, petition for extension is herewith made. Please charge

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any fees that might be due with respect to Sections 1.16 and 1.17 to the Deposit Account of Lerner and Greenberg, P.A., No. 12-1099.

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